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From the Editor . . .

A hundred years ago, when our college was founded, we were engaged in a civil war — basically to resolve whether or not our country could exist only half free. A few weeks ago we celebrated the 100th anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation. Yet, the struggle for human rights continues today in Mississippi and elsewhere, reminding us that we must press continually for progress in justice and human decency.

We have certainly come a long way from the dark days of slavery. The current of our history seems to be moving us unremittingly towards equality of opportunity. However, the grim, unlawful stand of Governor Ross Barnett and the other die-hard racists in the South demonstrate that we cannot rest on our laurels. We cannot afford to become smug about the advances that have been achieved in the field of civil rights. If we do, we will certainly lose ground to the forces of hate and irrational fear.

Can we draw a parallel between the hundredth anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation and our own centenary year?

I think so.

I think the lesson is clear: a centennial celebration is no time for complacency. For us, it is a time, as Brother Daniel Bernian points out in his message (p. 4), for gratitude to God and to our predecessors, and a time for "rededication to excellence in the things of the spirit and the intellect."

Coincident with the beginning of our celebration, as the Rev. Francis B. Schulte said in his stirring sermon at the opening Mass, the Church meets in Council to renew herself. We can do no less than seek to be the "microcosm of Christian renewal and rebirth," of which Father Schulte speaks. This is truly our opportunity for the Centenary Year.

The motto on the college seal reads: *Virtus et Scientia*. It is fitting that the centennial motto be based on this axiom. VIRTUE AND KNOWLEDGE: FOUNDATION OF THE FUTURE.

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Rev. Mark Heath, O.P. blesses the Centennial flag.

Inauguration of Centennial

MASS AND FLAG RAISING BEGIN OBSERVATION

The centennial year was officially opened on September 27 with a Solemn High Mass of the Holy Ghost and a flag raising ceremony.

Governor David L. Lawrence officiated the Centennial flag raising ceremonies and read a proclamation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The proclamation lauds "La Salle students and alumni (who) have demonstrated their devotion to our heritage of freedom in a democracy by their service in the first and second World Wars, and in the Korean War, and . . . have made eminent contributions to the cultural, professional

and commercial life of the Commonwealth and the Nation."

The Governor then, despite the rain which fell throughout the ceremony, assisted Brother Daniel Bernian in raising the Centenary flag, which had been blessed in the chapel by Rev. Mark Heath, O.P., the college chaplain.

The solemn High Mass of the Holy Ghost, in which the student body took part, was sung in Wister Hall gymnasium after the ceremonies. Father Heath was the celebrant. The Rev. Clement Burns, O.P., and the Rev. John C. McCarthy, O.P., were deacon and subdeacon, respectively.

The Rev. Francis B. Schulte, assistant superintendent of archdiocesan schools, delivered the sermon. He told the students and the faculty attending the Mass that the college "faces its second century as Mother Church, in Council assembled, faces its age old task of renewal and rebirth . . . with prudence, confidence and with hope. In this way will the college make its contribution to Christian renewal in our times."

He said Catholics "have allowed the revolutionary faith of Jesus Christ . . . to be eclipsed by the Communist Manifesto or misguided nationalism. . . . This has become a modern Catholic babbler."

"What does Catholicism mean to the youth mob snake-dancing through the streets of Tokyo?" Father Schulte asked. What does it mean to the millions lying

and dying in the gutters of Calcutta and Bombay? What does it mean to the power elite in the business temples of Manhattan and the luxury towers of Miami Beach? What does it mean to those in the asphalt jungles, which our cities are so fast becoming?"

"Here, then, is the opportunity for the Centenary Year at La Salle," Father Schulte added, "It can become, in fact and in symbol, a microcosm of Christian renewal and rebirth. The college must make this contribution in its own way — by renewed dedication to its proper object, truth in all its forms."



Rev. Francis B. Schulte, in his sermon, calls for renewed dedication.



Unconsecrated hosts and a centennial flag are conveyed to the altar during the Centenary Year opening Mass by Brother Daniel Bernian, F.S.C., James I. Gillespie, President of the Alumni Association, William Garrigle, President of Student Council, and James Kenyon, President of the Evening Division Congress.

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MESSAGE



Bro. Daniel Bernian, F.S.C.

Almost a hundred years ago — March 20, 1863, to be precise — La Salle College was founded by the Christian Brothers. Like all pioneers, the Brothers who established the College could not have dreamed that their modest foundation would last a century, nor could they have envisaged the flourishing institution that is today La Salle College. Theirs was the arduous and unrewarding task of sowing the seed; it is our good fortune to reap the harvest. In the justifiable pride that we feel today we must never forget the heroic labors of those who have gone before us. It seems to me that any celebration of our Centennial Year must begin with a grateful and admiring look at the past. Our debt to our Brother predecessors is immeasurable.

Centennial celebrations of various kinds are in order, of course. However, we must not lose sight of the fact that the worthiest commemoration of such an occasion is a recommitment, on the part of all of us, to the ideas and ideals that have continually inspired all of those connected with the College from the moment of its foundation, through the uncertain first years, and during many an agonizing crisis in the course of the past century. It would be ironic indeed if the pomp and ceremony of the Centennial Year were to obscure for a moment the reason why La Salle College exists, and what we of today must be worthy of our illustrious past.

The initial sentiment inspired by our hundredth birthday, then, must be one of profound gratitude. Gratitude, first of all, to Almighty God and the Sacred Heart, and to the mother of God and Saint La Salle for their intercession, for there have been times in the past century when the very survival of the college gave ample evidence of the intervention of Divine Providence. Gratitude also to our

host of friends, great men of the Hierarchy and Clergy, illustrious statesmen, former students of whom we are so justly proud and, most of all, the devoted members of the Administration and the Faculty of the College, past and present. From the very beginning, our greatest blessing has been the dedicated teachers who have labored to help the College live up to its high commitments. Today, as in the past, the Christian Brothers are aided in the task of education by an impressive array of priests and laymen. On the administrative as well as the teaching level, the work of these capable and self-sacrificing men has made possible what our students of today are so justly proud of — an *Alma Mater* still in the endless process of growth and development, but as dedicated as ever to the ideals that inspired our founders.

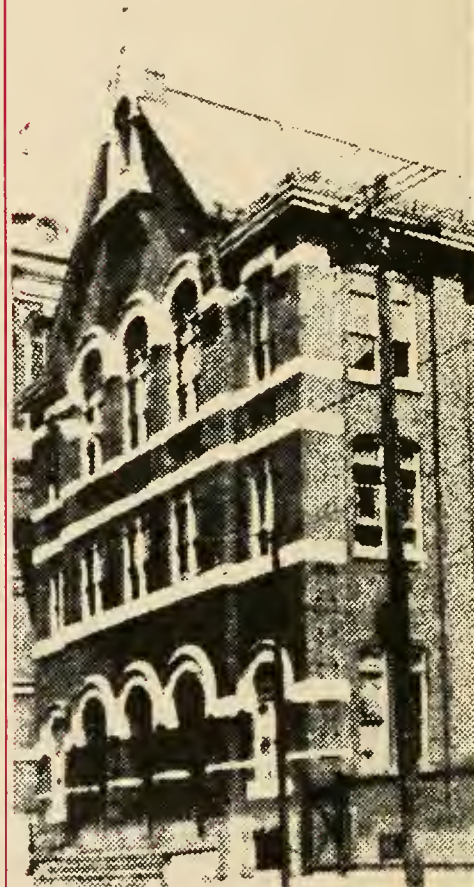
A Committee under the Chairmanship of Brother E. James, F.S.C., has been busy for months planning suitable and appropriate celebrations and ceremonies for this year. Mr. John L. McCloskey, Vice-President for Public Relations, has been guiding this committee. The various centenary events will be announced at an appropriate time.

In this brief statement, I wish only to invite all who are in any way connected with La Salle College — our Alumni and friends, our Staff and Student Body — to help us commemorate our Centennial in a special way by a rededication to excellence in the things of the spirit and the intellect. The present, even more than the past, is alive with challenge. It is comparatively easy to reminisce about the century now ending; facing the one about to begin is a more demanding task. With God's help and the continued support of our many friends, especially our Alumni, we enter our second century with great hope and confidence.

La Salle College last month opened its Centennial Year, marking 100 years of service to the community and higher education.

Centennial festivities were officially opened Thursday, September 27, at Centennial flag-raising ceremonies at which the Honorable David L. Lawrence, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, officiated. A Solemn High Mass, in which the student body took part, followed the ceremonies.

Among the "extraordinary" events now scheduled for the Centennial Year are a special series of Centenary Lectures—featuring such prominent cultural and



Original location of La Salle College was this building in St. Michael's Parish, 1419 N. 2nd St.

ED YEARS

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civic leaders as Dr. Mortimer Adler and Sen. Eugene McCarthy (D.-Minn.), and eminent artists like writer Katherine Anne Porter and actress Judith Anderson.

The college is conducted by the Brothers of the Christian Schools, who have as their special work the Christian education of youth. Theirs is the largest congregation of male, lay religious in the entire Roman Catholic Church. Some 20,000 Brothers teach all over the world under 70 national flags.

Founded by St. John Baptiste de La Salle—the patron saint of teachers—the Brothers' mission is stated in their constitution as “. . . to teach the sons of artisans.” The student body of the college today has a wide range of economic backgrounds, but the majority are from families of modest means.

La Salle's beginning came on March 20, 1863, when the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania granted a charter as a college to the small academy then located at 1419 N. Second st., in Philadelphia.

Just four years later, in 1867, the college acquired a property at Juniper and Filbert sts., in center city, and established its second residence there. It was later to become the home of the *Evening* and *Sunday Bulletin*.

Explosive center city business and industrial expansion forced La Salle to seek a new location in 1882, when the Brothers acquired the old Bouvier Mansion at Broad and Stiles sts., in this city.

By 1925, it became apparent that still larger facilities were needed. Land bordering on 20th st. and Olney ave.—in what was then known as “Wister Farms”—in the Olney section of the city, was obtained in 1928 and the college moved to its present location in 1929.

After surviving the dark years of the Great Depression, La Salle faced a different type of problem just after World War Two: a deluge of returning veterans seeking to take advantage of G.I. Bill benefits.

Before the closing days of the war, the college had an enrollment of less than 500, attending only day classes in the two original buildings, one of which also housed La Salle High School students.



College Hall, the first building constructed at our present site.

After the war, day enrollment soared to 1,300 in one year, and the evening division was opened in 1946 with 127 students. Today, the evening enrollment of over 2200 nearly equals the day school student body, which has skyrocketed to a record 2800—a total of 5,000, a 900% increase in 16 years.

Plant facilities, valued at only \$1.5 million in 1946, have today reached \$13.5 million—and further expansion in the form of a new classroom building, a chapel and physical recreation building, are planned.

The college has built a 60,000 volume library (1952); a \$2 million College Union (1959); a \$2.5 million Science Center, and six student residence halls—the two most recent halls occupied by this fall's freshman class.

Brother Daniel Bernian, F.S.C., beginning his fifth year as president of La Salle, is the twenty-fourth president since the college's founding.

“We have been asked many times,” Brother Daniel states on the occasion of the college's Centennial, “‘When will La Salle become a university?’”

“Let me assure you that this is not the ‘ideal’ of title, worth or service. Some educational ventures may be worthy and feasible, such as the introduction of whole new fields of study—engineering for example—or the extension of our level of instruction to the graduate level.

“There is no guarantee, however, that by becoming larger, La Salle College will become better,” Brother Daniel adds. “We must, however, exert all of our effort to provide the best possible undergraduate education in the arts, sciences and business administration.”



Our third location: the Bouvier Mansion at Broad and Stiles Streets.



MUSIC THEATRE '62's opening night audience included Brother Daniel Bernian, F.S.C., Governor David Lawrence and Lieut.-Governor John Morgan Davis.



A scene from "Carousel," the first of MUSIC THEATRE '62's two highly successful productions.

Outgoing Alumni President Frank O'Hara receives commemorative plaque from his successor Jim Gillespie.



Around Campus

A record enrollment of nearly 5,000 day and evening students began studies last month, as the college marks its 100th anniversary year. Day classes started Monday, September 17.

La Salle's evening division, inaugurated in 1946, opened the Centennial academic year on September 4 when night classes resumed. More than 2,200 evening students have been enrolled.

The day division, consisting of nearly 3,000 students, began registration on September 10. A special "Parent's Day" program Sunday, September 9 opened a week's busy schedule, which included freshman Orientation Week and a freshman retreat in addition to registration.

Colonel Jack C. Maldonado, recently appointed commander of the college's R.O.T.C. unit, will head a record number — for the fifth consecutive year — of over 1600 cadets in the military science program.

Major innovations on the La Salle campus for the Centennial year are the opening of a modern, \$500,000 twin-unit freshman residence hall, seven new day courses, and some 20 new faculty members.

The Evening Division offers an entirely new Liberal Arts program and nine new courses. Previously, evening division students could only obtain bachelor of science degrees in business administration or chemistry and electronics.

The dormitory, which will house 150 additional out-of-town students, was designed by architects Carroll, Grisdale and Van Alen.

New day courses include Piano Instruction, conducted by pianist Edna Bockstein; Elements of Music; Introduction to Geology; Management stimulation; Business Communication; Quantum Chemistry; and a new Greek language honors course. The new courses in music are part of the college's program to expand its program in the fine arts.

The new evening division courses are Comparative Literature I; Readings in the British Novel; Psychology Introduction; Audio Visual Aids; Developmental Reading; Remedial Reading; History of Penna. and U.S.; Western Civilization and Approach to English and American Literature.

ALUMNI BOARD DINNER

The annual dinner-meeting of the Alumni Association Board of Directors

took place at the Commodore Barry Club, Carpenter Lane and Emlen Street, on September 13.

Plans for the coming year were discussed. Emphasis was on the Association's first two major functions: The *Stag Reunion* on October 5 and the *Communion Dinner* on November 1. Signum Fidei Committee Chairman Frank Donohoe, '55, announced that this year's medalist will be R. Sargent Shriver, the Director of the Peace Corps. The Signum Fidei medal is presented each year at the Alumni Communion dinner.

It is at the annual dinner-meeting that the newly elected officers of the Alumni Association formally assume their duties. The new officers are: James I. Gillespie, '55, President; John A. Clement, Jr., '39, Vice-President; James J. McCarthy, '14, Treasurer.

Gillespie presented retiring President Frank O'Hara with a commemorative plaque on behalf of the Board of Directors.

HONORS CONVOCATION

The Fall Honors Convocation will be held on campus on Sunday, October 28. Honorary degrees will be conferred on John Walker, President of the National Gallery of Art, Katherine Anne Porter, author of the current best selling novel *Ship of Fools*, and George Kelly, the famed playwright.

EGAN LECTURE SERIES

The History department is sponsoring a lecture series in honor of Maurice Francis Egan, Class of 1875 and former Ambassador to Denmark.

The series of nine lectures throughout the academic year will have as its topic: "Immigrants and Woodrow Wilson's Peacemaking Policy." The first, given October 3 by Joseph P. O'Grady, Assistant Professor of History at La Salle, analyzed the influence of Irish-Americans on Wilson. On October 24 Dr. Louis L. Gerson, Associate Professor of Political Science at the University of Connecticut, will speak on the Polish-Americans. On November 7 Dr. Otakar Odlozilik, Professor of History at the University of Pennsylvania, will read a paper on the Czechs. Dennis McCarthy, Associate Professor and Chairman of the History department at La Salle, will follow on December 5 with an analysis of the influence of the British-Americans on Wilson.

Maurice Francis Egan, editor, teacher, literary critic and diplomat, is best known for his service as U. S. Ambassador to Denmark and for his book *Ten Years Near the German Frontier* published in 1919.

Born in Philadelphia in 1852, Egan was graduated from La Salle in 1875. After serving as an editor of a number of Catholic publications, he accepted a Professorship in English at the University of Notre Dame where he remained until the Catholic University of America offered a similar position in 1896. Life in Washington led to numerous contacts and two interesting diplomatic tasks. First, he helped to settle the Catholic issue which arose after America's conquest of the Philippine Islands and, secondly, he accepted the Ambassadorship to Denmark in 1907. In addition to these activities, he was able to find time to publish some forty volumes of fiction, poetry, essays and criticism.

OXFORD DEBATE

The Gavel Society will expand its horizons to the international field when it entertains representatives of the Oxford Union on October 17. The teams will debate whether or not government should control radio and television.

WRITERS' CONFERENCE

The English department will sponsor a three day Writers' Conference beginning on October 26.

The first activity of its kind conducted on campus, it will feature outstanding figures in the field of literature. Among the speakers at the Conference will be CATHERINE ANNE PORTER, JOHN MARSHARDI, JOHN FANDEL, CLAUDE LEOCH. Members of the College English faculty will fill various staff positions.

The Conference is designed to perform two important functions: (1) stimulation and direction of the writer, and (2) understanding of the written forms of the creative imagination for the interested person.

For the writer, aspiring writer, and teacher of writing or literature, the Conference provides a time of intensive activity under the direction of a staff of professional writers and teachers.

Included in the Conference will be workshops, panels, group discussions, lectures, and manuscript conferences.

Two notable features of the Conference will be a Publishers-Editors Round Table and a Panel of La Salle College Alumni

who have had material published in book or magazine form.

A tuition fee of \$10.00 admits a member to all sessions, including the Friday evening buffet. Established writers will give "Tips from Professionals" at the buffet meeting.

All Conference activities will be held in the College Union Building on campus.

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The final date for the submission of manuscripts for evaluation and consultation is October 12. Manuscripts (three short stories, or one chapter of a novel, or a sheaf of poems) must be accompanied by the tuition fee.

\$2,400 FROM KODAK

La Salle College has received an unrestricted direct grant of \$2,400 from Eastman Kodak under the company's educational aid program for 1962.

La Salle is one of 58 privately supported colleges and universities to receive direct grants from the company this year. The grants are based on the number of graduates from these institutions who joined Kodak five years ago and are presently employed by the company.

The Kodak grant is based upon Patrick J. Barry ('51).

The company's aid-to-education program for 1962 calls for direct grants, special one-time awards, research grants, and a number of other contributions totaling about \$1.2 million.

The program is designed to help schools meet their rising costs and to encourage and support excellence in the nation's institutions of higher education. It recognizes the major role that college and university graduates are playing in the progress of American industry.

ADLER-McCARTHY TO OPEN LECTURE SERIES

The Centennial Lecture Series will open on October 22 when the guest speaker will be Dr. Mortimer Adler, philosopher and educator. Admission will be by invitation to faculty, students, alumni and friends of the college. The second speaker in this series will be Senator Eugene McCarthy on December 5.

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Hal Holbrook impersonating Mark Twain.



The Class of 1966.

FACULTY NEWS

Eleven faculty members have been promoted for the coming academic year.

Dr. C. Richard Cleary, of Marlton, N. J., was promoted to full professor of Political Science. He is chairman of the Political Science department.

The appointments include the elevation to associate professor of two vice presidents, in Sociology, Brother Gavin Paul, F.S.C., and in English, Brother M. Fidelian, F.S.C.

Other new associate professors are Dr. Richard P. Boudreau, French; Charles V. Kelly, English, and Dennis J. McCarthy, History.

Appointed assistant professors were John S. Cziraky, and Joseph P. O'Grady, both History; John K. De Francesco, Italian; John F. Gallagher, Political Science, and Brother E. Mark, F.S.C., Physics.

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Pittsburgh Central Catholic High School honored Brother F. Azarias, chairman of the Education department, at its thirty-fifth anniversary celebration at the Hilton hotel in Pittsburgh on September 11. Brother Azarias founded Central's Alumni Association in 1931 and served as its moderator until 1939.

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"The Strategy of Creative Thinking," a new book by Dr. Bernard B. Goldner, chairman of the Industry Department, was published by Prentice-Hall in September.

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Dr. John J. Rooney, chairman of the Psychology Department, recently appeared on two radio panel discussion programs.

Dr. Rooney took part in WRCV's "Analysis" discussion series and appeared on a WCAU interview program conducted by Dr. Margaret Mary Kearny.

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John J. Keenan, assistant professor of English, has written an article on "Teaching the American Musical" which will appear in an issue of College English during the coming academic year.

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Dr. Domenico A. DiMarco, assistant professor of Italian, recently delivered a lecture on Italian poets, during a convention of American Assoc. of Teachers of Italian held at Swarthmore. Dr. DiMarco also was recently honored by presentation of a medal for his contribution to the development of Italian culture and language in the U.S.

The Italian Consul-General presented the medal for the Republic of Italy at a May 29 reception at the Italian Consulate.

Around Campus (cont.)

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Adler received his Ph.D. from Columbia University in 1928. He then began a long association with the University of Chicago teaching philosophy of law, as an associate professor until 1942, as a professor from 1942 to 1952. He has been Director of the Institute for Philosophic Research since 1952.

Adler has written many books on philosophy and is an associate editor of *Great Books of the Western World*.

Senator McCarthy, who has often spoken and written on ethics in government, has a strong academic background as well as a political one.

Born in 1916, he was graduated from St. John's University in Collegeville, Minnesota in 1935. He earned an M.A. in economics at the University of Minnesota in 1938.

He taught for ten years in public high schools and private colleges before serving in military intelligence during World War II. After the war he returned briefly to education before entering politics. He was acting head of the Sociology department at the College of St. Thomas in St. Paul at the time of his election to Congress in 1948.

McCarthy served for ten years in the House of Representatives and was elected to the Senate in 1958, where he serves on the Finance and the Agriculture and Forestry Committees.

His book *Frontiers in American Democracy* was published in 1960.

MARK TWAIN LECTURES AGAIN

When Hal Holbrook brings his uncanny recreation of Mark Twain to the stage of the College Union on November 19, local audiences will be seeing what has emerged as one of the perennially popular attractions on the American concert scene. Since his first tour of the country in 1959, Holbrook has played upwards of 250 cities (besides Europe and the Near East) in every state of the union but Alaska and Hawaii ("we hope to correct that next time out," he avers.) In each instance, critical and audience reaction has mirrored that manifested by New York's reviewers and theatregoers—it has been overwhelmingly ecstatic.

For twenty-two weeks during the 1959-60 season Holbrook's "Mark Twain Tonight!" was the outstanding off-Broadway hit in New York, and it might have run for a year longer had not prior commitments on the part of its star and sole performer prevented his remaining longer in New York.

Holbrook has spent years perfecting his performance as Mark Twain, visiting

friends of the author, studying photographs of Twain in his seventies, making every effort to keep his impersonation as accurate as indefatigable research can make it. Every word that he speaks onstage is Twain's. Every gesture is genuine, according to the best recollection of people who knew the celebrated humorist or attended one of his lectures.

During the course of each evening's performance, Holbrook proceeds from the humorous-profound observations that were the author's trademark to selections from "Huckleberry Finn" and reminiscences of a rich, full and zestful life.

NEW R.O.T.C. COMMANDANT

Army Col. Jack C. Maldonado has assumed command of the 1400-cadet ROTC unit.

Col. Maldonado succeeds Col. William J. Bennett, commander of the unit since 1959, who has been assigned to post in Germany—the location of Col. Maldonado's previous assignment.

A native Californian, the new professor



Col. Jack C. Maldonado

of military science is an Army veteran of 23 years service. He received his bachelor's degree in 1939 from the University of California and earned his master's degree in business administration at Syracuse University in 1955.

He won Bronze Star decorations for service in Tunisia and Anzio action in WW II, and again during service in Korea.

Col. Maldonado and his wife, Lucille, have two children, Linda, 15 and John, 12.

F. J. SHEED TO SPEAK

Frank J. Sheed, author, lecturer and co-founder of the publishing house of Sheed and Ward will address the Evening Division on October 23 at 8 P.M. The following day he will speak to day students at 12:30 P.M.

SARGENT SHRIVER TO RECEIVE SIGNUM FIDEI MEDAL FOR 1963



R. Sargent Shriver

Alumni Association President James I. Gillespie announced that this year's recipient of the Association's "Signum Fidei" medal will be R. Sargent Shriver, the Director of the Peace Corps.

The medal which derives its name from the motto of the Brothers of the Christian Schols—"Sign of Faith"—is presented annually to an individual for distinguished achievement in the advancement of Christian principles.

This year's recipient has a diversified background as a lawyer, a World War II naval officer, an editor and a business executive. He has a long record of service in civic and charitable activities, in addition to his better known work as Director of the Peace Corps.

Robert Sargent Shriver was born in Westminster, Maryland, on November 9, 1915, and received his primary education in the Baltimore parochial schools. He attended the Canterbury School in New Milford, Conn., and was graduated cum laude in 1938 from Yale University. He received his law degree from Yale in 1941 and was admitted to the New York Bar the same year.

Commissioned an Ensign in 1941, Shriver served on the battleship South Dakota for a year and a half. He then transferred to the submarine service,

where he served until the end of the war, leaving the navy with the rank of Lieutenant Commander.

He became an assistant editor of *Newsweek* magazine in 1945. Then, in 1947, he became associated with the Joseph P. Kennedy Enterprises, becoming Assistant manager of the Merchandise Mart of Chicago in 1948.

Shriver married Eunice Kennedy in May 1953. They have three children: two sons and a daughter.

Among other civic activities, he has served as President of the Catholic Interracial Council of Chicago and is a director of Catholic Charities in the Chicago Archdiocese. From 1955 to 1960 he was President of the Chicago Board of Education. In that position he advocated lower costs, increased aid from the state to city schools and a revised curriculum, including the teaching of foreign languages in primary grades.

Shriver assisted his brother-in-law, John F. Kennedy, in his successful election campaign. After the election he became the "chief talent scout" of the Kennedy administration. (He is credited with bringing Robert S. McNamara into the cabinet.) On March 4, 1961, he was appointed Peace Corps Director.

The Signum Fidei medal was established by the Alumni Association in 1941 and is awarded annually to an individual in recognition of personal achievement in harmony with the established aims of La Salle College and the Brothers. The chairman of the Selection Committee this year was Francis X. Donohoe, '55.

The medal has been awarded to such persons as Denis Cardinal Dougherty, Bishop Fulton J. Sheen, Dr. Francis J. Braceland and Henry Viscardi. Last year's medalist was Martin H. Work, Executive Director of the National Council of Catholic Men.

The Signum Fidei medal will again be presented at the Alumni Communion dinner on the feast of All Saints, Thursday, November 1.

Mass will be offered at 6:30 P.M. by Rev. Mark Heath, O.P., Chaplain of the College, at Holy Child Chapel, Broad Street and Duncannon Ave. The dinner will follow a brief memorial service for the Alumni War Dead at 7:30 at the Sacred Heart statue in the Quadrangle.

Dinner chairman John J. Lombard, Jr., Esq., '56, has announced that tickets will be \$5.00 per person and may be procured by contacting a class representative or writing to the Alumni Office.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION COMMUNION DINNER AND SIGNUM FIDEI PRESENTATION

ALL SAINTS' DAY—NOVEMBER 1

Mass, 6:30 P.M. at
Holy Child Chapel

Subscription, \$5.00

Dinner: College Union
Ballroom after Mass

SPORTS

BASKETBALL

Can co-captain Bill Raftery come back after being sidelined for a year with a serious back injury?

Who will take up the scoring slack brought about by the graduation of star guard Bob McAteer.

Can big center Walter Sampson continue the improvement made at the end of the 1961-62 campaign?

How will the high scoring George Sutor and the other sophomores react to varsity competition?

The answers to these and many other questions will be the primary concern of basketball coach Dudey Moore when he assembles the Explorers for their first practice, October 15. Six weeks later, on December 1, La Salle takes the floor for its 1962-63 debut against a new and most powerful opening game opponent, Creighton University at the Palestra.

"If Raftery's back is okay, it will be a tremendous lift for the team," says Dudey, eyeing La Salle's rigorous schedule that includes the usual Big Five games and contests with such powers as Niagara, Western Kentucky and an appearance in the annual Quaker City Basketball Tournament. "And the sophomores should definitely give us more height and maneuverability."

Raftery was the team's leading scorer with a 17 point average as a sophomore, two years ago. But he suffered a recurrence of an old back injury during a pre-season scrimmage last season, played only sparingly in La Salle's first five games

and was eventually sidelined for the rest of the year after undergoing an operation for removal of a slipped disc in January. One of the finest all-around players in La Salle's history, Raftery's presence in the lineup, alone, seemed to give the Explorers a lift. His absence definitely denied La Salle an excellent season.

"I feel fine now," says the 6-4 Raftery, who is confident that his back is strong enough to withstand a rigorous 25 game campaign. "I have been exercising during the summer and seem to be as hearty as ever."

If Raftery can come back with no ill-effects after a year's layoff, he will probably return to the backcourt with La Salle's other co-captain, senior Tony Abbott, who replaced Raftery last season and did a creditable job.

Abbott averaged 10.2 points a game with his best effort, a 23 point performance, coming against Canisius. A real hustler and the team's unsung hero, according to coach Moore, the 5-10 Tony was one of the most improved players in college ball last year. The former St. James (Chester) star led the Explorers with a 43.7 field goal percentage, and played one of his finest games against NCAA champion Cincinnati in New York's Holiday Festival with a team high of 19 points.

Junior guard Paul Gallagher, who saw reserve action in 16 games, is also back this year. Two promising guards, Joe Cunnane of Phila. and John Hart, of Hudson, N. Y., are coming up from last year's freshman team that won 11 of 13 games. One of them could sneak into a starting role if anything happens to Abbott or Raftery. Although averaging only nine points a game, Cunnane learns quickly, has the potential to be a fine collegiate player. He led the frosh in assists last year. Hart averaged 15 points a game and shot a phenomenal 50.4 per cent from the field. He climaxed the season with 31 points against the Lafayette yearlings, 26 coming in one half.

McAteer's graduation creates quite a void in the backcourt. The two-time Explorer captain scored 1,056 points during his career and finished last year with a 21.7 average, the school's highest since Gola's mark in 1955. The flashy guard also broke Gola's single game scoring mark with 42 points against Millersville last December. Other graduation losses of note included part-time forward starters George Friedrich and Dennis Murphy.

The Explorers should be well fortified at center with 6-8 soph George Sutor coming up to join junior Walter Sampson.

Sutor, a former scholastic All-American at Philadelphia's Father Judge High, was averaging over 20 points and 17 rebounds a game for the freshman last winter before academic ineligibility sidelined him after 10 games. If he stays eligible, he could become one of the nation's brightest stars.

Sampson, who got off to a very slow start as a soph last year, improved tremendously over the final part of the campaign. He enjoyed a healthy string of high scoring games (19, 18, 18, 14) to wind up the season and led the team in rebounding with 280. His big problem is staying out of personal foul trouble. If he can curb this tendency, the Explorers should control quite a few backboards this year.

Up front, the Explorers have talented 6-6 junior Frank Corace, who was the second leading scorer (15.4) and rebounder on the team last year. An "explosive" type ballplayer on offense, Frank has a devastating jump shot and needs only to improve on defense to be a real great college performer. As a soph, he failed to finish in double figures only three times in 24 games, with his best performance (22) coming against Muhlenberg. He's from Drexel Hill, Pa.

The other starter at forward will probably be Al Teszla, a 6-4 soph from Trenton Catholic with tremendous strength under the boards.

Jim Flavin, a 6-7 junior, and 6-3 senior Gene Park will also see action in the frontcourt. Joe Lynch, a 6-2 sophomore from La Salle High can play either guard or center. He was the third leading rebounder for the yearlings last year, and averaged 12 points a game.



Donald W. "Dudey" Moore



Joe Smith

SOCCKER

The soccer team has the distinction of kicking off La Salle's Centennial sports year, at Lafayette, Oct. 3, and if coach Joe Smith has his way, his booters will present the school with the first winning season in the sport's history here.

Six lettermen, five of them starters, will be returning, determined to improve greatly on last year's 3-7-1 record. The closest a La Salle soccer team came to a winning season was in 1960 when it split even in ten games.

Despite the returnees, however, coach Smith has quite a few gaps to fill. Outstanding goalie Bill McShain has graduated along with Bob Watson, one of the top linemen in college soccer a year ago. Other losses of note include fullback Pete O'Neil, forward George Bohnenberger, and the team's leading scorer a year ago (four goals) Roman Zylawy.

Veterans who will form the nucleus of the 1962 team are headed by co-captains Gordon Gray and Al Ruppert. Gray a senior, from Newtown, Pa., was a valuable addition to last year's team because of his ability to play halfback or fullback. Ruppert, a junior from Philadelphia, should blossom into an outstanding college halfback this year.

Jim Noone, a junior who scored two goals last year, should be adequate at center-halfback. Senior Adam Slomiana, a two-time letter-winner, has been doing a tremendous job and should have his greatest year in 1962. Other veterans include Andrew Quinn, Bill Donaghey and John Crockett.

La Salle lost four games by one goal last season, three of them, 1-0 shutouts. Another loss was inflicted by the NCAA Champion, West Chester, 3-0. A little improvement here and there, this season, could give the Explorers its first winner in soccer.

1962 CROSS-COUNTRY PROSPECTS

Cross-Country coach Frank Wetzler opened practice two weeks ago with four lettermen back from last year's Middle Atlantic Conference Championship team, but he was far from optimistic about 1962.

The reason? The loss of outstanding distance man Billy Holmes, a fourth place finisher in the 1961 MAC title run, and the man counted on to carry much of the scoring burden this season. Holmes, a



Frank Wetzler

junior, is academically ineligible and out for the season that includes seven dual meets and appearances in the MAC and IC4A Championships.

The Explorers open their season at Penn, October 17. They will make two home appearances, the first against Villanova, Oct. 30, and the other against St. John's (N. Y.) in their 1962 dual meet finale, Nov. 14. The 1962 MAC Championships will be held at St. Joseph's College's Cobbs Creek Course, Nov. 16. The IC4A Championships are scheduled for New York's Van Cortlandt Park, Nov. 19.

The Explorers upset heavily-favored St. Joseph's College to win their second MAC title, last year, in Allentown, as four men finished in the top ten. Pat Walsh, who came in third, has graduated. Juniors Paul Minehan, of Philadelphia, who finished fifth, and Larry Patterson, of Briarcliffe Manor, N. Y., a sixth place finisher, should give La Salle a fairly strong nucleus in 1962.

Since depth is so necessary for success in cross-country, Wetzler hopes for continued improvement for two other juniors from Philadelphia, Bob Kephart and Tom McDonnell, who finished 26th and 32d, respectively, in last year's MAC event.

Newcomers with the best potential appear to be sophomores Peter Volk and Jim Flannery, both of Philadelphia. Volk finished sixth in last year's MAC frosh run. Flannery didn't compete in cross-country but did well as a half-miler during the summer.

FALL SEMESTER SPORTS

SCHEDULE FOR 1962-63

SOCCKER

Date	Opponent	Place
Oct. 3	Lafayette.....	4 P.M.—Away
6	Temple	Home
10	P.M.C.	Home
20	Muhlenberg	Home
23	St. Joseph's	Home
27	Gettysburg	Away
Nov. 3	Haverford	Away
7	Drexel	Home
10	Ursinus	Away
12	Univ. of Delaware.....	Away
15	Univ. of Pennsylvania....	Home

Home Games at 20th St. and Olney Ave.
Weekdays: 3 P.M. Saturdays: 2 P.M.

CROSS-COUNTRY

Date	Opponent	Place
Oct. 17	Univ. of Pennsylvania....	Away
20	West Chester	Away
24	St. Joseph's	Away
30	Villanova	Home
Nov. 2	Lafayette	Away
10	Temple	Away
14	St. John's	Home
16	M.A.C.'s.....St. Joseph's College	
19	IC4A..Van Cortlandt Park, N.Y.	

BASKETBALL

Date	Opponent	Place
Dec. 1	Creighton	Palestra
5	Lafayette	Away
8	Niagara	Away
12	Lehigh	Palestra
15	Albright	Away
19	Bucknell	Palestra
26-28-29	Quaker City Tourn.....	Palestra
Jan. 4	Miami (Fla.)	Palestra
9	Muhlenberg	Away
11	Manhattan	Palestra
19	Seton Hall	Palestra
26	Western Kentucky	Away
30	Delaware	Lincoln H. S.
Feb. 2	Temple	Palestra
6	Gettysburg	Palestra
9	Syracuse	Away
12	Penn	Palestra
16	Canisius	Away
20	Duquesne	Palestra
23	St. Joseph's (Pa.)	Palestra
26	Georgetown	Palestra
Mar. 2	Villanova	Palestra

Alumni News

—John Clement

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CDR. JOSEPH D. MARSHALL, has been chosen to act as a U.S. Naval Academy information officer in this area.

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CHARLES W. KAUFMAN, is president of Romel Cosmetics of New York, Inc., 8002 Ogontz Ave., Phila. 50, Pa.

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BRO. F. ALBERT, F.S.C., received M.S. in Educ. from U. of P.

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After four girls, THOMAS B. HARPER III's wife, Frances presented him with a boy: Thomas McCarron Harper, on August 30. Attorney JOHN J. ROBINSON was commended by the U.S. Attorney's office for courageous service in notifying Federal authorities about an attempted bribe made to himself and a client.

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RAYMOND J. KINNIRY, who worked for the U.S. Navy as a research analyst, died at his home in Warrensville Heights, Cleveland, Ohio, on July 28, 1962. He is survived by his wife, the former Dora Woods, and a son, Kevin Michael.

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BERNARD DEVLIN, celebrated his fifth anniversary with State Farm Insurance Co. recently. He is a Field Claims Rep. in the Trenton Claims Service office. WM. G. LANE, received an M.B.A. from Temple U. JOHN J. NATHANS married Ruth E. Allen on June 7, 1962, in St. Margaret's Church, Narberth, Pa.

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VINCENT J. CARITA received M.S. (Electrical Engineering) from U. of P. JOHN B. CREGAN received an M.A. in Economics from U. of P. DR. EUGENE McLOONE wrote his third article on the adequacy of present sources of revenue for the schools, entitled, "Flexibility In Local Support of the Schools: A Proposal," for the publication "School Life," which is produced by the U.S. Office of Education.

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JAMES C. WEBB, LSC Hall of Athletes member, received M.G.A. (Governmental Adm.) from U. of P. THOMAS J. CASEY, recently promoted to Senior Account Agent, Allstate Insurance Co., 8200 E. Roosevelt Blvd., Philadelphia 15, Pa. THOMAS J. KENDRICK, appointed Asst. Treas. in the Consumer Credit Dept. of the 12th and Chestnut Sts. office of Provident Tradersmens Bank & Trust Co. He is also completing a three year course of study in Consumer Credit at the U. of Va.

JOSEPH E. MARTIN, Capt., U.S. Air Force, was the Navigator on the C-124 Globemaster transport that carried astronaut Col. John Glenn's spacecraft on the final leg of its round-the-world exhibition tour, which included stopovers at Pakistan, India, Thailand, Indonesia, Australia, the Philippines, Japan and Korea. HARRY A. RECKNER appointed principal of American High School, San Salvador, El Salvador.

'53

BRO. DENIS THOMAS BYRNE received M.S. in Educ. from U. of P. RALPH W. E. IRWIN, JR., received M.B.A. (Intern Teaching Program for College Graduates) from Temple U. ROBERT E. KENNEDY was named Personnel Director recently at the Temple University Medical Center.



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GEORGE HOMA, a real estate broker, was elected to the Bridgeport School Board. He is the father of five children and an Army vet. of WW II. JOHN T. KULAK, JR., received M.A. (Psychology) from Temple U. DONALD F. REILLY received a degree in Printing Management from South Dakota State College, Brookings, S.D. GERARD T. CORKERY elected President and Director of the Liberty Bell Life Ins. Co., Phila., Pa.

JOSEPH J. DIVINY received M.B.A. (Secondary Education-Curriculum Dept.) from Temple U. NORBERT J. HEIL was named Personnel Manager of the Lee Rubber & Tire Corp., Conshohocken, Pa. JOHN H. MACKEY, JR. received Ph.D. in Chemistry from Princeton U. MATTHEW J. MAIKOSKI received M.S. in Educ. from U. of P. HARVEY PORTNER and wife Barbara have been making many "changes" since the Stork delivered Roy Brian on June 1, 1962.

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THOMAS BAGNELL and ROBERT CHANCLER off to Pittsburgh to begin training program as U.S. Treasury agents. Alumni President JAMES I. GILLESPIE and wife Catherine welcomed their third, Michael, in July. JOSEPH and Pat HENRY were blessed with their third daughter, Barbara. Joe is now teaching high school in Chester county. FRANK J. NOONAN, C.P.A., has been appointed assistant to the Controller of the Fidelity-Phila. Trust Co. HARVEY and Barbara

PORTNER are now four with the addition of son Roy.

'56

DAVID L. ANDREWS received M.B.A. (Master of Educ. in Elementary Educ.) from Temple U. CARMEN BARATTI received his O.D. from the Chicago College of Osteopathy. FRANK S. BLATCHER, Fidelity Mutual Life Ins. Co., completed all the requirements to be certified as a Qualifying Member of the Million Dollar Round Table of the National Associates of Life Underwriters. JOHN G. BREZA teaching in the Trenton Public School System and residing in Levittown, Pa., with his wife and two daughters, received M.A. in Educ. (Administration and Supervision) from Seton Hall U. BERNARD J. FREITAG participated in the Foreign Language Institute at Hofstra College, Hempstead, N.Y., last summer. He teaches German at Council Rock Senior High School, Newtown, Bucks Co., Pa. GEORGE HARKINS and Antoinette Cannon tied the nuptial knot on June 16, 1962, at St. Benedict's Church. PAUL J. LYNCH was promoted to Lieutenant in the U.S. Naval Reserve. In Oct., 1961, he was recalled to active duty with Air Anti-submarine Squadron 935, based at the Naval Air Station, Willow Grove. LT. FRANK MONTAGUE studying Hospital Adm. for the Air Force at Iowa U. EDWARD N. O'DONNELL and Myra R. Williamson said, "I do," on July 14, 1962, at Shrine of Immaculate Conception, Atlanta, Ga. ROBERT L. ROMAINE received M.A. in Math. from Temple U. ROBERT D. RONCO, Esq. was admitted to the Northampton County Bar and also the Federal Bar this past summer.

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WILLIAM J. BELL, teaching at R.C.H.S., doing graduate education work at St. Joseph's. DR. ANTHONY J. DAMORE is a Capt. in U.S. Air Force. He has been assigned to the USAF hospital at Bunker Hill AFB, Ind. He is married to the former Anne R. Cahill. FREDERICK J. LEINHAUSER received M.B.A. (Elementary Educ.) from Temple U. DR. PHILIP LO PRESTI received his M.D. from Seton Hall College of Medicine. ROBERT A. ROMANO teaching at Moorpark High, Ventura, Calif.

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THOMAS E. ADAMS, who is presently serving as 1st/Lt. at the Army post in Ft. Knox, Ky., has a story, "Sled," included in the Prize Stories 1962, the O. Henry Awards, edited by Richard Poirier. The collection represents the most expertly done short stories published during the preceding year. NORMAN BERNSTEIN teaching educational psychology, history and philosophy of education at State U.

Profile: JOHN M. MC DEVITT, '56

John M. McDevitt, class of '56, this fall entered the seminary of the Oblates of St. Francis de Sales after nearly seven years of service on Philadelphia's City Council.

McDevitt, 38, was graduated from Northeast Catholic High School in 1942 and, after Second World War service in France, Austria, and Germany, earned his bachelor's degree in La Salle's evening division in 1956.

The seminarian, who lived with his mother at 1055 E. Cheltenham Avenue, spent most of his life in St. Martin of Tours parish.

He earned his living while in college by working in the Marriage License Bureau, as an assistant clerk in Orphans Court, and as an inheritance tax appraiser for the State Department of Revenue.

McDevitt entered politics while still a student. From 1953 to 1955, he served as personnel director of the Democratic Executive Committee, before being elected to City Council in the fall of 1955.

As a bachelor, he was able to devote much of his free time to helping the

youth of Philadelphia. He founded the Northeast-Suburban Athletic Conference and the Summerdale Boy's Club, and was active in the Junior Baseball Federation.

McDevitt's councilmanic district served Northeast Wards 35, 41, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57 and 58. In addition to his Council post, he also served as a director of the Food Distribution Center, and held posts in the Hero Scholarship Fund and Junior Baseball Federation, among others.



John M. McDevitt, '56

McDevitt will complete three months as a postulant, later serving as a novice for a year and a day. He will then study at the Catholic University of America in Washington.

The Oblate fathers conduct Northeast and Father Judge high schools in this city and, although primarily a teaching order, also conduct mission, parishes and retreat houses throughout the nation.

McDevitt said that he had decided more than three years ago to become a priest, after being inspired to do so by the many laymen who have relinquished promising careers to take Holy Orders.

He added that he hoped his decision might in turn inspire others to take a similar course.

"Politics and the priesthood have a close association," McDevitt said. In both fields you have to like and want to help people with their problems.

"Politics," he concluded, "has been called the second greatest calling. I'm going from the second to the first."

of N.Y. at Buffalo. WM. T. COLLINS presently with Atlas Chemical Industries, Inc., in the Engineering Production Sec-

tion of the Aerospace Components Division at Tamaqua, Pa. JAMES B. GARVIN III recently passed his N. Y. Stock

Exchange exam and is now an account executive with Bioren & Company. 1st LT. JOSEPH M. GINDHART, Esq., presently in the Judge Advocate General's Corps at the U. of Va., married the former Barbara Boyce at Immaculate Conception Church in Jenkintown. JOHN W. HANNIGAN took as his bride Margaret A. Boland on May 19, 1962, at St. Cecilia's Church, Camden, N. J. GERALD C. KELLY received his D.D.S. from Temple U. Dental School and is now stationed with the Army in Germany. VINCENT J. KONEN received M.A. (Political Science) from U. of P. WILLIAM F. MCGONIGAL "walked down the aisle" with Linda L. Rice on May 19, 1962, at the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, McSherrystown, Pa. He is presently employed by Pacific Mutual Life Ins. Co. H. ROBERT NELSON received M.B.A. (Intern Teaching Program for College Graduates) from Temple U. WM. J. PARKES, II, was honored for his outstanding performance during a contest, run by his Company—Continental American Life Ins. Co., Wilmington, Del. He is associated with the Huber Agency in Phila. EDWARD T. PASON received M.L.S. from Rutgers U. JOHN J. PLESKACZ received M.B.A. (Intern Teaching Program for College Graduates) from Temple U. ANDREW RAUCHWERK

Biggest Stag Ever!



Two members of the Philadelphia Karate Club demonstrate the art to alumni at the annual Stag Reunion, October 5. Stag was attended by over 500 alumni.



'58 Theatre Party

received M.S. in Electrical Engineering from U. of P.

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J. E. Kelly

JOSEPH E. KELLY appointed manager of Oscar Mayer & Co.'s new one-quarter of a million dollar distribution center at Monroeville, Pa. **RICHARD T. KIRCHOFFER** received M.A.

(English) from U. of P. **RICHARD J. KROLL** received M.A. (Botany) from U. of P. He is a member of our faculty and recently addressed the 14th annual Career Forum at St. Joseph's Prep. School. **WILLIAM LAVERY** and his wife Patricia are the proud parents of a cute little girl, Denise Mary, who arrived on Aug. 4, 1962. **JOHN H. VEEN**, Director of the College Union, has been appointed assistant regional representative to the Association of College Unions.

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BRO. GREGORY ANTHONY, F.S.C., received A.M. from Harvard U. **JOSEPH CAIRO**, of our Economics Dept., has been awarded a full scholarship by the U. of P. for the completion of his graduate work at that institution. **WM. A. HALLER** and Elizabeth Pingarron embarked "on the sea-of-matrimony" June 16, 1962, at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Moorestown, N. J. **JOSEPH V. KELLY** and Mary Anne McGinley became "Mr. and Mrs." on May 26, 1962, in St. Luke's Church, Glenside, Pa. **L. EUGENE MARRELLA** and his wife Ann welcomed their son Michael Joseph in July. **ROBERT F. PAPPANO** and Carol M. McCloskey said "I do," on June 9, 1962, in Our Lady of Charity Church, Brookhaven, Pa. **ROBERT J. PECULSKI** took Joan E. Olejniczak as his lovely bride on May 19, 1962, in St. Joseph's Church, South Camden, N.J. **1st/LT. WALTER J. RIDER, III**, and his wife Mary have a new daughter, Mary Elizabeth, who arrived on June 7, 1962, at Ft. Sill Army Hospital. He will be dis-

charged in Jan., 1963, at which time he will return to the Insurance Co. of North America, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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2nd/LT. MATTHEW A. BOWE recently completed the nine-week Ranger course at the Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga. **JOHN J. BRABAZON** received

The Placement Bureau of La Salle College is anxious to be of service to all in the La Salle Family. If you desire to find full time employment, wish to better your present position, or have a job opening to report, please call L. Thomas Reifsteck, Placement Director, VI 8-8300, Ext. 303, or come to the office, College Union Building, Room 205.

M.A. (Education) from Villanova U., and is now studying for Ph.D. at St. John's. **JOSEPH J. CAIN, JR.**, is now an Ensign in the U.S. Naval Reserve as a General Line officer. **EDWARD J. DONA-**



J. J. Cain, Jr.



E. J. Donahue

HUE is now an Ensign in the U.S. Naval Reserve as a General Line officer. **Army 2nd/Lt. PETER C. DeFEO** recently completed the eight-week air defense officer orientation course at The Air Defense School, Ft. Bliss, Tex. **RICHARD R. FLINT** received M.A. (History) from Niagara U. **CHARLES J. GUCKAVAN**, Ensign in U.S. Navy, recently completed his first solo flight while attached to Training Squadron One, Saufley Field Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Pensacola, Florida. **JOSEPH HEPP** received M.A. (History) at Niagara U. and has been granted an assistantship there to continue studying toward an M.S. (Education). **PVT. WM. S. LAVUNDI** recently completed the fire direction specialist course under the Reserve Forces Act program at The Field Artillery Training Center, Fort Sill, Okla.

GERARD F. McLAUGHLIN has been elected to the Phila. Junior Chamber of Commerce as a director. He is on the Public Relations Staff of the Bell Telephone Co. **JOHN H. MULHOLLAND** has been awarded an assistantship for his second year of graduate work at Villanova U. He is a candidate for an M.A. (English). He has been teaching English in the Evening Division of the Camden County Vocational and Technical High School. **RICHARD J. MULLIN, JR.**, made his sweetheart, Kathryn D. Altenburger, his wife, on June 9, 1962, in St. Athanasius Church. **2nd/LT. KENNETH J. ROBERTS** recently completed the four-week airborne course at The Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga. He received his paratrooper wings after intensive ground and aerial training in the techniques of loading and dropping troops and cargo. **JOHN W. RUDY** received M.A. (Psychology) from Temple U. Army Reserve **2nd/LT. GERALD J. SMITH** recently completed the eight-week field artillery officer orientation course at The Artillery and Missile Center, Ft. Sill, Okla.

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JOHN P. CHRISTEL joined the Peace Corps., along with **GERALD K. BIELER** and **FREDERICK VINCENT**. The following are teaching: **JOSEPH T. CUNNINGHAM**, Notre Dame High School, Easton, Pa. **WM. A. STROBEL** in the Phila. Elementary Schools. **JOHN R. FITZPATRICK** at Dobbins and **GEORGE D. CLIFFORD** at Jones Jr. High School, Phila. **LT. JOHN J. GAIN, JR.**, married Suzanne M. Miller on June 9, 1962, in St. Catherine of Sienna Church, Quarryville, Pa. **LT. CHARLES W. GIANNETTI** and Kathryn M. Broderick tied the "nuptial knot" on June 9, 1962, in St. Ambrose Church, Phila., Pa. He is presently stationed at Quantico, Va. Miss Phyllis Mignon became Mrs. **DANIEL McNEFF** on July 5, 1962, at St. Luke's Roman Catholic Church, Glenside, Pa. **FRANCIS J. SALERNO** received a graduate assistantship in History at Niagara U. **WM. T. SENGPIEL**, a Councilman of Levittown, has been named purchasing director of the Mitchell Specialty Division of Novo Industrial Corp., Phila., Pa. **JEROME SINGER** walked "Down the aisle" with Judith D. Kaplan on June 17th, 1962, at Congregation B'rith Israel, Roosevelt and D. St., Phila., Pa. He will enter Jefferson Medical College in Sept., 1962.

Work has begun on the 1963 *Explorer*—the Centenary Year Edition. Perhaps you might like to reserve a copy as a souvenir of this very special year in the College's history. The price of the book is five dollars (\$5.00). You can reserve your copy with a one dollar (\$1.00) deposit. Send subscription to Box 695, La Salle College. Please include your full name and address.

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- WHEREAS,** The demand for the educational advantages offered by the Christian Brothers necessitated continuous expansion of La Salle College facilities; and
- WHEREAS,** These facilities were originally located at 1419 North Second Street, and later at Juniper and Filbert Streets, then at Broad and Stiles Streets, and finally at the present location at 20th Street and Olney Avenue, each in the City of Philadelphia; and
- WHEREAS,** La Salle College's enrollment has increased to more than five thousand students, from a pre-war total of only five hundred; and
- WHEREAS,** La Salle College has shown a constant concern for keeping a college education within the means of those with modest financial resources, despite the rapidly increasing costs of higher education; and
- WHEREAS,** More than ninety per cent of La Salle College students live in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and eighty-five per cent of La Salle College's alumni are engaged in careers in said Commonwealth; and
- WHEREAS,** La Salle College's evening division offers a vital service to industry, business and the community by offering a college education at night to more than 2,200 students; and
- WHEREAS,** La Salle College students and alumni have demonstrated their devotion to our heritage of freedom in a democracy by their service in the first and second World Wars, and in the Korean War; and
- WHEREAS,** The Christian Brothers and La Salle College graduates have made eminent contributions to the cultural, professional and commercial life of the Commonwealth and the Nation;
- NOW, THEREFORE,** I, David L. Lawrence, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby proclaim the opening of La Salle College's Centennial Year in honor of the Brothers of the Christian Schools and the distinguished alumni of La Salle College, and urge the citizenry of the Commonwealth to join in honoring this great institution of higher education on the occasion of its Centennial Year in this Commonwealth.



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